# BEL-AMI' PRESENTED BY FRENCH PLAYERS

brama Society Completes First Season at Century to Large Audience.

600D RECORD IS MADE

Young Organization Produces Ten Plays During the Year.

"Bel-Ami"-At the Century. Jose Ruben
Andre Leir
Mathieu .... Leo de Valery Paul Gordon Mme. Yorska Adoni Fovieri Nana Defrance

The French Drama Society completed s first season last night at the Century heatre with a performance of Fernand nessant's very French work "Bel-Ami." The same play was heard by a large

the Harris and Garrick theatres, where Le Ruisseau was given, shows industry, lince the beginning of the season this empany has played "La Vierge Folle," by mpany has played "La Vierge Folle," by parry Bataille "Le Passant," by Francois ppee: "La Rafale" and "Le Voleur," Henri Bernstein: "Britannicus," by Ra-le: "Le Baiser," by Theodore de Ban-le: "La Gloconda," by Gabriele d'Anmunio, for some unknown reason; "Le Mari Amoureux de sa Femme," by Giocosa, asother enigma, and Pierre Wolff's "Le

sization. So it is not surprising to are open for next year. The society seems to have found a public and there could be no better way of introducing the works of French playwrights to this country than through performances in their serginal tongue.

### Prefer Plays in French.

There are few French works of the mes. Those who are at all interested in the present flower of the French stage greet to learn the plays in French. There no public for them in translation. Oc-smonally a work of universal interest omes along and travels as far as the French plays of an earlier day used to with such frequent success. Now such uses are rare; but there is at present in

ses are rare; but there is at present in his city a public large enough to support secasional performances of these plays a their original tongue.

Certainly it is a work of artistic carity to put "Bel-Ami" before this sphile. Its vogue in Paris is not easy a understand. Only a short time ago it was revived with a certain success. Nozieres has transferred certain scenes from the novel to the stage, but he has not animated them with the spirit of this sewer medium. The journalistic adventure, who found that the quickest road to stranement was through women's hearts. dvancement was through women's hearts, a shown surrounded by his various vic-ims and at last winning the girl whose mother had also lost her heart to him. the adapter forebore putting the news-ager scenes on the stage. They would have been too much for the gravity of

## Wide Difference in Moralities.

ethics of the play are further sympathies than story put them, for the realization of the figures before the eyes of the spectators emphasizes the remoteness of our own lization from such a society as the rand the novel—reveals. Possibly morals and emotions of these women man-his sweethearts are copmyage tribe in central Africa; but cerot a great deal. So it is to the audience that can understand that such a play should be acted. and that is the good work the French Drama Society has been doing this

Jose Ruben was natural and as irrewithle, as the author made him, as the specturist who found capital in every woman that loved him. Mme. Yorska played the too loving wife—it was, of surse, another than her husband she loved—with her usual intensity. She and M. Ruhen, were the most distinguished. M Ruben were the most distinguished Ime. Fovieri with commendable enter-tise sought to bridge the years between the first hearing of "Bel-Ami" and to-day means of a purple wig. Whether she complished so much or not, the wig becoming.

## Notes of the Social World.

The last of the Thursday dances will be given at the Waldorf-Astoria this week. Several of the patronesses will give dinners in advance

Mrs. George Powell Benjamin of 160 West Sixty-ninth street will give an afternoon reception on April 18. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin returned last week from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour J. Hyde of Greenwich, Conn., will not give a dinner on April 25, as they are in mourning. There was a meeting of the Fin de

he Club last night in the winter of Hotel Astor. Some of the were in fancy dress and at supper fuests were in fancy dress and at supper time there were showers of confetti and serpentine. Some of those giving suppers were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Steinway, Mrs. Forbes Conant, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart Blackton, Mrs. James J. Brown, Mrs. Reginald Furman, Mr. and Mrs. Grisveld A. Thompson, Sydney Colford, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carroll.

Mayer—Vernam.

Marguerite Vernam, daughter of Mrs.

Marguerite Vernam, daughter of Mrs.

August H. Vernam, was married at noon

to-day at the home of her mother in

Madison avenue, to Roland M. Mayer,

also of Morristown, by the Rev. Dean

George Brown, rector of the Church of

the Assumption. The bridesmaids were

Miss Mary Merrell and Miss Eleanor

Wood, and John Mayer, brother of the

bridegroom, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Morton W. Smith gave a finer last evening at their home. 506 ast evening at their nome, sorn of avenue. Among their guests miral Charles D. Sigsbee, Mr. and lilam Howard Bainard, Mr. and bert Vos, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Weber, F. Burkholder, Garratson Gunther les A. Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Smith to their country alone in South. their country place in South-on April 15.

dding of Miss Laura McDonald hter of Edmund K. Stallo of I Cincinnati, Ohio, to Joseph ane will take place on June 28 Miss Stallo is a grand-late Alexander McDonald. Miss Helena Stallo, married

Mrs Chauncey M. Depew will Washington, D. C., on April 20. w will give a dinner on April 23 usband in honor of his birth-

bur Springs, W. Va., yesterday to pass bma time at the New Greenbrier Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Chartes Steele and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Devereux Milburn; Mr. and Mrs. Oskleigh Thorne, C. E. Lawrence and A. H. Camield.

## Weather at Winter Resorts.

Bermuda, March 21 .-- Tem-

Va., March 21 .- Tempera-Cirv, March 21 .-- Tempera

tur. 78 (a)r. March 21. Tempera-GALVESTON, Tex., March 21.-Tempera-

ASHEVILLE, N. C., March 21 .- Tempera-

# NATION'S GREATEST WARSHIP TO BE LAUNCHED TO-MORROW

Fifteen Governors Will Sec. Oklahoma Named by Gov. Cruce's Daughter.

The superdreadnought Oklahoma, the newest and the largest of American battleships, will be launched from the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Company at Camden to-morrow morning. The launching is scheduled for 11:30 o'clock.

Miss Lorena Jane Cruce, daughter of Gov. Lee Cruce of Oklahoma, has been selected to christen the vessel and a large delegation of Oklahomans is on its way to Camden for the launching. headed by the Governor and Mrs. Cruce.

Vice-President Marshall, Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Assistant Secretary Franklin D. Roosevelt will head the official party from Washington.

Fifteen Governors of States and one ex-Governor are expected to attend the launching. These are ex-Gov. Mann of Virginia and Governors Hays of Arkansas, Ammons of Coiorado, Hodges of Kansas. McCreary of Kentucky, Ferris of Michigan, Eberhart of Minnesota, Fielder of New Jersey, Hooper of Tennessee, Colquitt of Texas, McGovern of Wisconsin, Miller of Delaware, Goldsborough of Maryland,

Tener of Pennsylvania, Glynn of New York and Baldwin of Connecticut. The Oklahoma and her sister ship the Nevada were authorized in 1912. The Nevada is building at the Fore River Shipbuilding Company's yards. Work on the Oklahoma was begun in October, 1912. The contract calls for the completion of the vessel in January, 1915.

In armament the Oklahoma and Nevada will be duplicates of the New York and the Texas. The armament comprises ten 14-inch guns, twenty-one 5-inch rapid fire guns and four submerged torpedo tubes. The 14-inch guns, which in the New York and Texas class are mounted in pairs in five turrets, in the Oklahoma and Nevada are mounted in four turrets, the lower turrets fore and aft containing

ception at Grandparents'.

ploy of the Great Falls Power Company at Great Falls, Mon. He and his bride

will leave for Great Falls in about a

Davis-Eppelsheimer.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., March 21.—Miss Katharine Louise Eppelsheimer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Eppelsheimer, and Town Clerk Raymond Foster Davis were married last night at the Westmin-ster Presbyterian Church by the Boy

ster Presbyterian Church by the Rev William T. Wilcox, pastor, assisted by the

Rev. Dr. George L. Curtis, pastor of the old First Presbyterian Church. Miss Mildred Prime Eppelsheimer, a

sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Gladys

K. Luckey of Newark, a ocusin of the bride; Marcella P. Emley of Trenton, Flora Gordon of Middlestown, N. Y., and Helen M. Corras of Bloomfield.

The wedding of Miss Margaret Elise Oliver, daughter of Charles K. Oliver, to E. Burton Holmes, the lecturer, took place at noon yesterday in St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Sixty-ninth street and Columbus avenue, the Rev. Nathan Seagle, rector of the church, officiating. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were

relatives and a few intimate friends were

present for the ceremony. The bride wore

a hat to correspond, and a corsage bou-quet of pink roses and lilies of the valley Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and

Mrs. Holmes left for their wedding jour-

Mayer-Vernam.

Goodwin-Bristol.

GLEN RIDGE, N. J., March 21.—Miss Lucy Bristol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Bristol of 76 Highland ave-nue, and Edward M. Goodwin of Brook-

nue, and Edward M. Goodwin of Brook-iyn, were married to-night in the Glen Ridge Congregational Church by the Rev. Dr. Clarence Hall Wilson, paster of the church. The couple will live in Brooklyn after their honeymoon.

Two Engagements in One Family.

HACKENSACK. N. J., March 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Easton of Arcola an-

Plin Meta McClelland to Wed.

gray charmeuse travelling costume,

week.



MISS LORENA J. CRUCE. Who will name the new battleship Okla-

the "everything or nothing" idea in pro-tection. With unusually heavy armor for the midship section and the vitals of the ship, the ends and the battery are left

three guns each.

In armor the Oklahoma is a distinct departure from the practice followed in the New York and earlier ships. She is the a normal displacement of 27.500 tons, as first ship to embody what is known as against the New York's 27,000.

# MISS ELEANOR SIMONDS MRS. L. R. THAYER WILL WEDS M. J. VERDERY, JR. WED GEORGE ARENTS, JR.

Marriage at St. George's Church, Invitations Sent Out for Mar-Philadelphia. He was born in that city on September 2, 1856, the son of John Norris, a Union soldier who was killed on April 14.

Miss Eleanor Simonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Simonds of Hew-lett, L. L. and Marion J. Verdery, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion J. Verdery of 216 Parsons avenue, Flushing, were wedding of Mrs. L. Richardson Thayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Richardson of 19 East Seventy-first street, to of 21s Parsons avenue, resulting, well well at St. George's Church, Flushing, yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Henry D. Waller, rector of the church, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Charles P. Deems of the Seaman's Church Institute, a cousin of Mr. Verdery. George Arents, Jr., of this city. The where he remained three years, then going ceremony will take place at the home of to the Philadelphia Times. He was promithe bride on April 14 at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Thayer will have her daughter, Miss Dorothy Richardson Thayer, as her only attendant, and William L. Gould will act as best man. There will be no ushers.

Mr. Arents and his bride will leave for

Seaman's Church Institute, a cousin of Mr. Verdery.

Miss Margaret Sloan was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Winifred Chisolm. Miss Jeanette Whitlock and Miss Gertrude Simonds of Manhattan, and Miss Ruth Bullard. Miss Marjorte Mann and Miss Eliza Willets of Flushing. Miss Cecilie Simonds and Miss Edith Simonds, sisters of the bride were flower girls. for the greater part of the summer. Eliza Willets of Flushing. Miss Cecilie
Simonds and Miss Edith Simonds, sisters of the bride, were flower girls.

Richmond B. Duane, a classmate of Mr. Verdery at Princeton, attended the bride-that city. Mrs. Talcott is the widow of groom. The ushers were Francis M. Simonds, Jr., of Hewlett, a brother of the bride; Frederick Walcot, S. Vernon Mann, Jr., of Great Neck; Stanley Reinhart, Theodore Lindorff and Robert H. Boyd of Flushing.

After the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's grand-parents. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mann.

Mr. Verdery is an engineer in the employ of the Great Falls Power Company ploy of the Grea The engagement has been announced

Pierpont Edwards Dutcher, of Milwaukee, lishers Association Wis., to James Lawrence Blair Buck of Hampton, Va., son by a former marriage of Mrs. Benjamin Webster of this city, No date has been mentioned for the No date has been mentioned for the wedding. Miss Dutcher and her mother are in New York for a brief visit.

## MISS ESTHER FOSS ENGAGED.

Ex-Governor's Daughter is to Wed

a Versattle Canadian. Boston, March 21 .- Ex-Gov. and Mrs. BOSTON, March 21.—Ex-Gov. and Mrs. Eugene N. Foss announce the engagement of their daughter, Esther, and Albert Hickman of Canada, son of Mrs. David H. Purves. Miss Foss has not yet made her debut, having spent the past two winters in Europe with her twin sister, Helen. Miss Foss is an attractive girl and an excellent linguist. Mr. Hickman was graduated from Harvard in 1899 and was sent to Great British by the Canadian Gov.

interest of the investment of British capital in Canada. He rowed at Henley for the Diamond Sculls in 1901; has written several books and has invented a new type of hydroplane known as the "sea sled."

The funeral of the Rev. Dr. Edward Benton Coe, S. T. D., LL. D., took place yesterday afternoon from the Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas, Fifth avenue and Forty-eighth street, of which Dr. Coe the minister from 1879 to 1899. lowing were the honorary pallbearers Prederick Sturges, Presbyterian Hospital; President W. H. Demarest of Rutgers Col-lege; Dr. J. S. Searle, Theological Sem-Dr. George Washburn, Robert Col-Dr. W. I. Chamberlain, Board of Poreign Missions: George L. Rives, Co-lumbia University: the Rev. J. B. Remen-snyder, Sigma Chi: Dr. Henry Sloane Coffin, Chi Alpha: C. S. Phillips, clerk of consistory: Franklin B. Dexter, Yale University: Dr. James S. Kittell, president of General Synod: Charles L. Jones, Leake and Watts Orphan Asylum. services were conducted by the Rev. Henry E. Cobb, D. D., of the Collegiate Church at West End avenue and Seventy-seventh street, assisted by the other Colle-clergy, the Rev. D. J. Burrell, D. D. Rev. Malcolm J. MacLeod, the Rev. John C. Fagg. D. D., and the Rev. Joseph R. Duryee, D. D., of Grace Reformed Church. Malcolm J. MacLeod, the Rev. John The interment was in the family plot at

## In New York To-day.

Lecture by Dr. Eugene Christian on "What Shall We Do to Be Saved," Man-hattan Single Tax Club, 47 West Forty-second street, 8 P. M.

Lecture by Mrs. Elizabeth Towne on "The New Thought Movement," Fifty-eighth Street Theatre, 8 P. M. Intercollegiate Socialist Society, lecture by Prof. Roswell H. Johnson, on "Edu-genics and Socialism," Berkeley Theatre, 23 West Forty-fourth street, 3:30 P. M. Society of the Jewish Institute, meeting Kessler's Theatre, Second avenue Second street, 11 A. M.

and Mrs. Edward D. Easton of Arcola announced to-day the engagement of their daughter Heien and Norris M. Mumper of Trenton. At the same time comes the announcement from Mrs. Harry Rankin of Goshen, N. Y., of the engagement of her daughter Marie and Mortimer D. Easton of Arcola, a brother of Miss Helen Easton. Their father is president of the Columbia Grapophone Company of New York. United Synagogue of America meeting, Jewish Theological Seminary, 531 West 123d street, 10 A. M.

Suffrage meeting, Seventeenth Sena-torial District, Woman's Political Union, speakers, Miss Fola La Folette, Miss Ir-win; Hotel Manhattan, 8 P. M. The engagement of Miss Meta Josephine McClelland to Louis De Voursney Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Day of Morristown, N. J., has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. McClelland of Dobbs Ferry. Mr. McClelland was formerly a New York State Senator. Woman's Political Union tea. 4 West Fortieth street, lecture by Mrs. Alice Steb-bins Wells. 6 P. M.

# **JOHN NORRIS DIES** AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Expert in Newspaper Making Led Fight for Free Print Paper.

RECORD IN TWO CITIES

Began Work as Reporter in Philadelphia, Later Coming to This City.

work in this city and Philadelphia for many years, died yesterday at his home, 906 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn. He was 57 years old.

Mr. Norris led the fight waged for many years by the American Newspaper Publishers Association to have the tariff taken off news print paper and wood pulp -a fight which ended when President Wilson signed the Underwood tariff bill on October 3 last.

In November last Mr. Norris went to Atlantic City, hoping that a stay there would benefit his health, which had been failing for several months. Early in December he was persuaded by his family to take a European trip. He returned to this country shortly after Christmas somewhat improved, but still in serious con-

Condition Grew Alarming on Friday. His condition became alarming on Friday morning, when he was stricken with apoplexy. From that time his physicians, who months ago had predicted just such a general breakdown unless Mr. Norris

gave up his work for the association, held out no hope. Mr. Norris leaves a widow, Mrs. Vir-

Mr. Norris leaves a widow. Mrs. Virginia Jones Norris; five children, Olivia J. Norris, George Norris, Mrs. Ralph Wallace, John Norris, Jr., and Robert Norris, and a sister, Mrs. Marguerite idier of Philadelphia. They were summoned to his bedside when it became known that he would not recover.

Mr. Norris was a prominent figure in the newspaper world, and his successful fight for free paper and wood pulp, while the crowning achievement of his career, represented but a part of his activities. He was for years the personal representative of the late Joseph Pulitzer, publisher of the New York World, and later was of the New York World, and later was business manager of the New York Times. at the battle of Gettysburg. He was sent to Girard College, where he was gradu-ated at the age of 15 years and then en-tered upon a higher class of studies, in-tending to go into the Engineer Corps.

Decided to Be Newspaper Man.

But he changed his mind and obtained employment upon the Philadelphia Press nently known as a political reporter and also figured in the exposure of a number of policy shops and bogus medical con-

Later he joined the staff of the Phila-delphia Record and became its city editor. He left the Record to go with the New York World. Europe after their wedding, to be abroad gaged in newspaper publishing who have

so general and complete knowledge of the technique of newspaper making as did Mr. Norris. As editor and writer,

## WILTON LOCKWOOD DEAD.

Artist and Pupil of John La Parge Dies in Brookline.

Brookling, Mass., March 21.—Wilton Lockwood, an artist and student of the late John La Farge, died in the Deaconess Hospital here to-day. He was \$3 years old. About six years ago Mr. Lockwood went to Parls, and only recently returned to this country, making his home in

Mr. Lockwood was best known as a painter of flower pieces. While abroad he exhibited at the Paris salon, in Munich and in Berlin. He won recognition at an exhibition at the St. Botolph Club in Boston in 1895, and examples of his work hang in the Carnegie Institute, Pittsburg; the Corcoran Gallery, Wash-ington; the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, and the museum at Worcester, Mass In 1892 Mr. Lockwood married Miss Ethel Whiton in London. He was an associate National Academician and a member of the Century Club, New

John F. Tobin, who was a clerk in the New York Post Office for forty-two years, died at his home, 785 St. Nicholas avenue, on Friday morning after a brief illness He was 72 years old.

nterest in the various employees' organi zations and was president of the New York Post Office Clerks Association in 1894 and 1895. He was also the chairman of the legislative committee

Previous to his entering the postal ser vice Mr. Tobin, who was a native New Yorker, was connected with the New York Herald.

## Robert Bridgman.

Robert Bridgman, a former real estate editor of the New York Times, died yes-terday in Bomoseen. Vt. He was born in Brooklyn in 1874, and after being graduated from Amherst in 1895, wen nto newspaper work. He first joined the staff of The SUN

then went to the *Tribune*, and later took a position with the *Times*. His father, Herbert L. Bridgman of the Brooklyn Standard Union, lives at 604 Carlton avenue. Brooklyn.

The Rev. Dr. James S. Dennis. MONTCLAIR, N. J., March 21.—The Rev. Dr. James S. Dennis, 72 years old, died to-day at his home, 67 Highland avenue was graduated from Princeton Univerlogical Seminary in 1867, and a year later went to Syria, where he was a missionary twenty-three years. He was

**EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY** FOR INVESTMENT. You can put from \$1,000 to \$25,000 in an old established manufacturing and jobbing business without taking the slightest risk and clear \$6% at the very least. This proposition is worth while investigating, as it is absolutely safe and your money will bring you from \$6 to \$5%. Address N. C., Bex \$8, 1364 Broadway.

the author of several books. Dr. Dennis's brother, Samuel S. Dennis, is president of the Howard Savings Institution in Newark.

The Rev. W. L. Blaber.

The Rev. W. L. Blaber, assistant paster of St. Patrick's Church in Dutch Kills, Long Island City, died of pneumonia in St. John's Hospital, Long Island City, yesterday afternoon. He had been ill ten days.

Father Blaber was born in Brooklyn forty-three years ago. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Blaber, of South Brooklyn; Dr. Murtha Blaber, Brooklyn, and Father Louis Blaber, East Hampton, L. L. brothers, and one sister, who is Sister Olivia of St. Theresa's, Brooklyn.

## Charles F. Simmons.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., March 21.—
Charles F. Simmons, a member of Commodore Perry's Japan expedition, died of heart disease this morning at his home in South River. He was born in New York city December 7, 1833. In 1849 he enlisted in the United States navy.

He married Miss Elizabeth Wilmurt in 1859 and lived in New York for ten years.

Mrs. Mary E. Pool.

Mrs. Mary E. Pool, wife of John F. Pool, superintendent of the American Sugar Refining Company, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 1361 Dean street, Brooklyn, after an illness of several weeks. She was Miss Mary E. White before marriage and was born in Delaware. She was married in 1893,

## Leonard W. Jewell.

Leonard W. Jewell, 65 years old, died last evening at his home in Clifton, Staten Island, after an illness of two months. His father was once president of the New York Produce Exchange. For the last five years Leonard W. Jewell had been president of the Lersey City National Freely years Leonard W. Jewell had been president of the Jersey City National Dock Storage Company. His wife survives him

Announcement of Public Sales AT THE

Anderson Galleries

Second Section of the Unrivalled Collection of Lincolniana formed by the late

Major William H. Lambert

PUBLIC EXHIBITION Wednesday. March 25th. Proclamation Emancipation signed by Lincoln; Thirteenth Amendment signed by those who voted for it; thirty-four Autograph Letters and Documents signed by Lincoln; three important letters by Mrs. Lincoln; leaf from Lincoln's Sum Book; two hundred photographs; an enormous collection of medals; many interesting and important Lincoln relics; scarce Broadsides, Pamphlets, extra-illustrated Books, and other great rarities. This part of the famous Lambert Library will be sold in Pive Sessions, beginning Wednesday Afternoon, April 1st.

## Library of the late Prof. J. H. Alexander

Baltimore. Americana. Many volumes of Travels, Local History. and scarce works on the Indians. To be sold Monday Afternoon and Evening and Tuesday Afternoon, March 23d and 24th.

> Art Collection formed by the late

Countess Von Zeuner

of Berlin, Germany. Chinese Porcelains, Bronzes, Clocks, Ivory Miniatures and Carvings, Limoges Enamels, Laces, Fans, Vestments, Rugs, Tapestries, Mirrors, Antique Furniture, and Drawings and Paintings by European Artists. To be on Public Exhibition from Saturday, March 28th. To be Sold in Six Afternoon Sessions, beginning Monday, April 6th, and Two Evening Sessions, April 7th and 8th.

Other Important Announcements Later. Satalogues Free to Intending Suyers. Anderson Galleries

Anderson Auction Company Metropolitan Art Association Madison Avenue at Fortieth St.
New York.
MR. DANIEL R. KENNEDY, Auctioneer.

## MARRIED.

LDRIDGE-MILLER .- On March 18. a Oakland, Cal., Maud Miller of Oakland to Walter H. Aldridge of New York. AYER-VERNAM.—March 21, 1914, at her home in Morristown, N. J., by the Rev. Dean Brown, Marguerite Steward-son, daughter of Mrs. Vernam and the late Albert H. Vernam, to Reland M! ERDERY-SIMONDS -- Marion Jackson Simonds, on Saturday, March 21, at 8

George's Church, Flushing, by the Rev. Charles P. Deems, assisted by the Rev. Henry D. Waller, rector.

## DIED.

BLABER .- On Saturday, March 21, 1914. Rev. William F. Blab r, late assistant rector of St. Patrick's Thurch. Long Island City, son of Oliver J, and Julia

Moore Blaber.

Solemn requiem mass at St. Patrick's
Church, Long Island City, Tuesday
morning at 10 o'clock. Divine office at
9:30 A. M.

GOFF.—John Goff, Jr., aged 62. Funeral
from "THE FUNERAL CHURCH." 241
West Twenty-third street, France V. West Twenty-third street (Frank E.

Campbell Building). Interment Pitts burg. Pa. MORRISON.—Phoebe M., March 21, beloved wife of Robert and mother of Andres Morrison.
Funeral services at Rockefeller Chapel.
Middletown, N. Y., 2 P. M., Monday.

March 23. Interment private. NORRIS.—On Saturday, March 21, at his residence, 906 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn, John Norris, aged 57. Funeral services at the residence, Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Interment Tues-day at Mount Moriah Cemetery, Phila-

deiphia, Pa. Jl.—Mary E. Pool, wife of John F. Pool, at her residence, 1361 Dean street. Brooklyn, on Saturday, March 21, 1914. Due notice will be given later.

RICHARDS.—Suddenly, March 20. at his residence in Providence, R. I., the Rev. C. A. L. Richards

Funeral from St. John's Church, Provi-

dence, Monday, March 28. at 18 o'clock.

Important Unrestricted Sales under the management of The American Art Association

# **American Art Galleries**

ON VIEW BEGINNING MONDAY, MARCH 30th Antique and Modern

**Furniture** Ceramics, Glass, Bronzes, Bric-a-Brac

Fine Old Tapestries and Rugs

Antique and Modern Textiles and Embroideries To Be Sold By Order of An Executor and Other Interests As Designated on the Catalogue of Sale.

\*. \*Catalogues Mailed Free to Applicants

During "Easter Week" by order of

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 2nd, 3rd and 4th, at 2:30 o'Clock

Vitall Benguiat
The Widely Known Expert Will be sold at unrestricted Public Sale

A Very Large Collection o'

Sumptuous Textiles and Embroideries of the XVI, XVII and XVIII Centuries

Consisting of

Beautiful Old Velvets, Brocades and Velours, Renaissance and other Embroideries, Antique Spanish Baldachinos, Altar Prontals, Rare and Fine Tapestries, Gothic, Renaissance and other Laces, Beclesiastical Relics, Old Church Hanging Lamps, Ancient Needlework Pictures, Fine Old Brocades and other materials for Wall Coverings, Curtains and Draperies.

\*. \*Catalogue in preparation and will be mailed free to applicants.

-ALSO-DURING THE LATTER PART OF APRIL By order of the

A. J. Crawford Company

WHO MAKE THIS SALE ON ACCOUNT OF THE DISCONTINUING OF THE BRANCH OF THEIR BUSINESS HERETOFORE DEVOTED TO INTERIOR DECORATING AND FURNISHING AND THE FURNITURE DEPARTMENT CONNECTED THEREWITH.

A Very Important Collection o

Original Antique English Furniture in the Periods of Gothic and Chinese Chippendale

Bookcases and Cabinets, and Complete Sets of Chairs Adam Decerated Satinwood Pieces, Antique Jacobean Oak Collection of Old English Long-case Clocks

Early Victorian Black Decerated Furniture. Queen Anne Sofas, Arm Chairs and Cabinets in Walnut, Chinese and Queen Anne Lacquer, Painted Dutch Cabinets and Commodes and Other Desirable Furniture

By order of the Surrogate Court of Putnam County, New York, under direction of the Temporary Administrators, Arthur Know, Esq., Attorney,

The Artistic Property

Furnishings and Embellishments Contained in the Residence of the late

Mrs. Julia Lorillard Butterfield

widow of the late General Daniel Butterfield

THE PUBLIC SALE, which will be without restriction, will be held on the premises, No. 616 Fifth Avenue

In the Book and Print Department ON FREE VIEW 9 A. M. TO 6 P. M. (SUNDAY EXCEPTED).

Particulars in future Announcements

Original Drawings and Sketches By the Old and Modern Masters The Private Collection of Colonel S. Harrison

To be sold without reserve at 8:30 o'clock on the Evenings of Wednesday and Thursday next, March 25th & 26th

AN ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE with an introductory note and descriptions by Mr. Ederheimer will be malled postpaid on receipt of One Dollar.

ON VIEW BEGINNING MARCH 30th

The Library of the Late James A. Alexander, Esq.

Including First Editions of Eugene Field, extra illustrated books, finely bound library sets and first editions

ON VIEW BEGINNING APRIL 11 The G. B. WARREN COLLECTION OF ETCHINGS by AXEL HAIG

And other Masters The most extensive series of the work of Haig (164 examples) ever offered at public sale in this country, also included a Statue by Canova.

ALSO ON VIEW APRIL 11

The Collection of Etchings formed by the late James A. Alexander, Esq.

which includes examples by Whistler, Zorn, Fitton, Cameron, and other Etchers of note. \*.\*Catalogue in preparation.

The sales will be conducted by MR. THOMAS E. KIRBY. THE AMERICAN ART ASSOCIATION, Mgrs. 6 East 23d Street, Madison Sq. South, New York



## DIED.

ROSS.—On Friday, March 20, 1914, Marion Clark, beloved wife of Frederick J. Ross and eldest daughter of Frederick H. and Pannie D. Clark. Funeral services will be held at the resi-

runeral services will be held at the residence of her parents, Park Hill, Yonkers, N. Y., on Monday, March 23, at
2:30 P. M. It is kindly requested that
no flowers be sent.

SMITH.—Mary H., wife of the late Rev.
Cornelius B. Smith, on Wednesday.
March 18.

Funeral services at Grace Church, Broad-Way and Tenth etreet, on Tuesday March 24, at 11 A. M. Interment private FRANK E. CAMPBELL LARGEST ESTABLISHMENT EST W. 23-ST The Huneral Church seraming MOTOR HEARSES (ASSAULT) PRIVATE AMBULANCES CHOCK